District Rural Development Agencies (DRDA'S). should be disposed of within a period of fourteen days. It is possible that inspite of these instructions some applications would be pending for a period of more than 14 days as the banks have to identify the borrower, ascertain his eligibility, determine the viability of the scheme, etc. Some-times receipt of applications in a bunch also leads to delay in sanction. The RBI has reported that its present data reorting system does not yield information regarding number of loan applications pending with the bank branches in the various States.

(c) and (d) In connection with observance of 14th December 1985 as Rural Development Day Government had advised the banks that the Branch Managers should arrange a meeting of the beneficiaries/applicants for IRDP loans for the redressal of their grievances. However, as the Branch Manager was not required to keep a record of the number of beneficiaries who were contacted, it is not possible to indicate the number of persons with whom contact was made in these meetings.

LIC Investment in Housing etc.

2217. SHRIMATI KANAK MUKHERJEE: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) what is the total LIC investment in housing and in the industrial enterprises of each of the 20 large industrial houses as at the end of March, 1985; and

(b) what is the state-wise LIC investment in housing?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI JANARDHAN POOJARI) (a) LIC's investment in 20 large industrial houses at the end of March, 1985 was as under:—

(*Rs. in crores*)

Name of the House	Amount outstanding/ book value as at 31-3-1985
1. Tata	103·30
2. Birla	62·78
3. Mafatlal	20·32
4. J.K. Singhania	19·28
5. Thapar	12·02
6. ACC.	2·01
7. I.C.I.	11·44
8. Sarabhai	5·22
9. Bangur	7·90
10. Kirloskar	6·67
11. Reliance	3·88
12. Shri Ram	10·08
13. Ashok Leyland	19·68
14. Hindustan Lever	2·51
15. Modi	12·02
16. Scindia	0·75
17. T.V.S. Iyengar	1·62
18. Mahindra and Mahindra	19·34
19. Larsen and Toubro	25·20
20. Bajaj	6·83
	375·88

(a) LIC's investment in Housing as on 31-3-1985 was Rs. 1777.66 crores, out of which Rs. 1408.80 crores was advanced to State Governments/ Apex Housing Finance Societies.

State-wise break-up is as under:—

(*Rs. in crores*)

	Amount advanced upto 31-3-1985
Andhra Pradesh	100·79
Assam	10·31
Bihar	62·50
Delhi	29·72
Goa	2·20
Gujarat	253·91
Haryana	23·22
Himachal Pradesh	6·43
Jammu and Kashmir	10·21
Karnataka	66·54
Kerala	83·35
M dhya Pradesh	61·46
Maharashtra	215·95
Manipur	2·46
Meghalaya	2·99
Nagaland	0·84
Orissa	41·58
Punjab	42·14
Rajasthan	44·85
Sikkim	0·60
Tamil Nadu	174·79
Tripura	4·98
Uttar Pradesh	81·83
West Bengal	85·15
	1408·80

विदेश यात्रा योजना के अन्तर्गत पाकिस्तान की यात्रा

2218. **श्री अश्विनी कुमार :**
श्री कैलाशपति मिश्र :

क्या **वित्त** मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) पिछले तीन वर्षों के उपलब्ध आंकड़ों के अनुसार विदेश यात्रा योजना और पड़ोसी देशों की यात्रा करने संबंधी योजना के अंतर्गत उपलब्ध सुविधाओं का लाभ उठाते हुए प्रतिवर्ष कितने भारतीय राष्ट्रिकों ने पाकिस्तान की यात्रा की ; और

(ख) सरकार द्वारा प्रत्येक योजना के अन्तर्गत इन व्यक्तियों के संबंध में कितनी विदेशी मुद्रा की स्वीकृति दी गई ?

वित्त मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री जनार्दन पुजारी) : (क) और (ख) सूचना एकत्र की जा रही है और वह सभा-पटल पर रख दी जाएगी ।

Film in Mica Exports

2219. SHRI ASHWANI KUMAR:
SHRI S.W. DHABE:

Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that quantitavely the export of mica has gone down during the last three years, as it was 7500 tonnes in 1979-80 and about 2000 tonnes in 1982; and

(b) if so, what steps are being taken to boost the export of mica?

THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI P. SHIV SHANKER): (a) The quantity of processed mica(including scrap Waste mica) exports during 1979-80 was 18,850 tonnes and declined in 1982-83 to 11,750 tonnes. However, during the year 1984-85 the export of processed mica increased to 17,980 tonnes.

(b) Following steps have been taken to boost mica exports:

1. Export duty on Bridge mica has been abolished in 1985-86;

2. MITCO is setting up a number of industrial projects for exporting value added products of mica.

3. A working group has been appointed by the Ministry of Com-